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In re Appln. No: 10/563,659
 Applicant: Peter Schwind et al.
 Filed: February 20, 2007
 Title: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR SIMULTANEOUSLY IDENTIFYING BLOOD
 GROUP ANTIGENS
 TC/A.U.: 1641
 Examiner: Bao Thuy L. Nguyen
 Confirmation No.: 5376
 Docket No.: BPD-102US

REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Sir:

I. REFUND REQUEST

This is a request for refund with respect to the charge to AMEX shown on the May 2010 statement for the above-identified application.

- ☒ Accompanying this request is a copy of the monthly statement on which the referred charge is listed. Along with a copy of the USPTO Transaction Details.

II. FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND IS REQUESTED

		Amount of Refund Requested	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Request for Continued Examination	\$	405
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Independent Claim in Excess of 3	\$	110
	TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED	\$	515

III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

On March 5, 2010, a Request for Continued Examination with payment for an additional independent claim was filed with the USPTO. We have been advised that the applicant of the above-identified application has always been entitled to small entity status. We have concurrently filed a statement advising the USPTO of the entitlement to small

entity status and, therefore, respectfully request that one-half of the RCE fee and additional claim payment be refunded.

IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make refund to original payment method:

☒ credit AMEX card no. 3785-714966-31007.

Respectfully submitted,

RatnerPrestia



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☒ Attachments: Copy of the monthly statement on which the referred charge is listed
 Copy of USPTO Transaction Details

Dated: June 4, 2010

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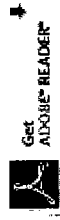
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Credit Card Statement for - Kathy Spina (Account#: ..007) For 03/2010

Type	Transaction Status	Date Posted	Name/Number	Attorney Docket Number	Charges/ Credits (-)	Charge Date
Sale	Active	03/04/2010	12716798	AMPI-109US	\$644.00	03/03/2010
Sale	Active	03/04/2010	12716798	AMPI-109US	\$40.00	03/04/2010
Sale	Active	03/08/2010	10563659	BPD-102US	\$1,030.00	03/05/2010
Sale	Active	03/09/2010	11602138	BBM-137US	\$810.00	03/08/2010
Sale *	Active	03/25/2010	12601446	GRY-168US	\$1,090.00	11/23/2009
Refund	Active	03/25/2010	12601446	GRY-168US	\$-110.00	11/23/2009
Sale	Active	03/26/2010	11230431	BBM-118US1	\$180.00	03/25/2010
Sale	Active	03/31/2010	12702560	BBM-227US	\$130.00	03/30/2010
Sale	Active	03/31/2010	11913386	RAIL-100US	\$405.00	03/30/2010

(*) in the type column indicates that a single payment paid for multiple items or multiple payments paid for a single item.
Note: An Adjustment indicates that a sale was reversed, not that payments were refunded.

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Transaction Details

Type:	Sale	Name/Number:	10563659
Status:	Active	Attorney Docket Number:	BPD-102US
Accounting Date:	03/08/2010		

Sale Items

Name/Number	Attorney Docket Number	Status	Quantity	Item Total	Payment Amount	Fee Code	Description
10563659	BPD-102US	Active	1	\$220.00	\$220.00	1614	CLAIMS - EXTRA INDEPENDENT (OVER THREE)
10563659	BPD-102US	Active	1	\$810.00	\$810.00	1801	REQUEST CONT. EXAM. (RCE)

Payment Details

Payment Type	Total Payment Amount	Payment Date	Payment Amount (this sale)
Credit Card	\$1,030.00	03/08/2010	\$1,030.00

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